



# **MEDIA RELEASE**

## **Tucson Fire Department**

**Fire Chief Dan Newburn**



---

Contact: Captain Norm Carlton  
Public Information Office

Date: March 29, 2008

### **Ward-3 House Fire 3500 Block of E. Presidio**

Saturday March 29, 2008

Dispatch time: 2147

On scene time: 2153

Under control: 2204

An arson fire completely destroyed one of four homes in this midtown four-plex late Saturday night. It took firefighters 11 minutes to get the fire under control. The homeowner will be staying with friends and family until the home can be repaired. The other three homes were not damaged in the blaze.

Estimated damages: \$150,000.00

Injuries: None noted at this time

Cause: Arson

Red Cross: The occupant stated she would stay with friends and family

Safety Message: If you see suspicious activity around your home or neighborhood, call 911 immediately. It is oftentimes the smallest amounts of information that helps the police with their investigations.

---End---